AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The claims in this listing will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

- 1. (Original) A medicament for therapeutic and/or prophylactic treatment of pain, which comprises ginsenoside Rb1 as an active ingredient.
 - 2. (Original) The medicament according to cliam1, wherein the pain is chronic pain.
- 3. (Currently Amended) The medicament according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the pain is neuropathic pain.
- 4. (Original) The medicament according to claim 3, wherein the neuropathic pain is pain induced by peripheral and/or central nerve injury.
- 5. (Original) The medicament for therapeutic and/or prophylactic treatment of pain, which is an α _{2A}-adrenergic receptor-agonistic medicament comprising ginsenoside Rb1 as an active ingredient.
 - 6. (New) The medicament according to claim 2, wherein the pain is neuropathic pain.
- 7. (New) The medicament according to claim 6, wherein the neuropathic pain is pain induced by peripheral and/or central nerve injury.